

GATHERED GEMS.

The Russianification of Manchuria has been indefinitely postponed.

With another bumper crop year the country is tolerably independent of Wall Street.

There is a suspicion that the presidential bee is saying honeyed things to Gov. Folk.

Director Roberts of the mint says that the West is enjoying a business boom, and he ought to know.

The luxative effect of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is so agreeable and so natural you can hardly realize that it is produced by a medicine.

The efforts of Norway for complete independence now attract about as much attention as an ordinary croquet game.

The New York Life as well as the Equitable Life seems to be having quite a strenuous life at this stage of the game.

As a dressing for sores, bruises and burns Chamberlain's Salve is all that can be desired. It is soothing and healing in its effect.

Why not transfer the peace temple from The Hague to Portsmouth? The latter appears to work all right, while the former doesn't.

King Alfonso seems to have difficulty in locating a wife, while some of the cheap sultans of the Old World have wives to burn.

Indecent peacemakers are victorious in more ways than one. Editor Waterson is now throwing bouquets at the "bronce buster."

The whole wide world which admired the brilliant naval achievements of Admiral Togo will be glad to learn he wasn't on the Mikasa when it was destroyed.

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BABY GIRL'S AWFUL HUMOR

Would Scab Over, Break Open, and Be Raw—Intense Suffering for Two Years—Doctors and Medicines Failed to Help Her.

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Writing under date of Aug. 15, 1904, Mrs. L. C. Walker, of 5 Tremont St., Woodford, Me., says: "My sister had a terrible humor on her shoulder when she was eighteen months old, causing intense suffering for two years. We had several doctors, and tried everything, but in spite of all we did it kept spreading. One day it would scab over and then crack open and a watery matter ooze from it and the scabs would all fall off. It would be raw for a time, then scab over again. Some one recommended Cuticura, and we immediately procured a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a cake of Cuticura Soap. She was much better after the first bath with warm water and soap, and an application of the Ointment. Before it was half gone we saw a marked change for the better, and she was entirely cured, without a scar being left, by the one box of Ointment and one cake of Soap. Her skin is now entirely clear, and she has not had a sign of trouble since."

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Now that Adickes' money has largely given out there are quite a number of professional politicians in Delaware who will be forced to go to work.

The emperor of Germany wrote 7,000 letters last year, which is not so remarkable when you remember he is conducting a school of correspondence of the world.

It is discovered that M. Witte and George Washington wore the same sized shoes. That settles it. The United States and Russia are natural allies and boon companions.

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It Was the American After All.

From information received in New Orleans, it is believed that a number of American gunners went down in the explosion which sank Admiral Togo's flagship, the Mikasa, and at the same time threw light upon the cause for the remarkable marksmanship which devastated the Russian Baltic fleet in the battle of the Sea of Japan.

Joseph Morgan, of New Orleans brother of Charles Morgan, formerly gunner on Admiral Sampson's flagship, New York, states in an interview that the American gunner joined the Japanese navy and was a member of the crew of the Mikasa. Gunner Charles Morgan is said to be one of the thirty-five American man-o'-waremen who deserted at Manila and joined the Japanese navy.

It was he who fired the first shot at San Juan, Porto Rico, and subsequently obtained notoriety through Admiral Sampson's opposition to his receiving the rank of commissioned officer in the United States navy.

Morgan's skill as a gunner was celebrated in the navy, and he deserted at Manila, with thirty-five comrades, and joined the Japanese forces, receiving a salary of \$500 a month, with a promise of a bonus at the end of the war.

Heretofore it has been claimed that the Japanese have employed no foreign fighters, but the above facts bear out the belief that American gunners were secured under bond of secrecy.

Thieves recently stole eleven pairs of skates from a local skating rink. Any man who would steal a pair of skates while the thermometer is hovering around the nineties has a foresight that should make him a successful financier.

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An international tuberculosis congress is to be held in Paris. There should be no trouble in getting delegates, as there are more consumptives than there are democrats in the United States alone.

Mr. Fairbanks has demonstrated that he can fill a pulpit acceptably, but he has never shown his proficiency in bear hunting. The country is still in the dark as to whether he is fully qualified for the presidency.

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The Denver paper which quotes Governor Folk as saying that Colonel Bryan would be a good man for second place on the ticket must be joking. Mr. Folk may be unduly puffed up with a sense of his own importance, but he is not an idiot.

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